

# INFORMATION ITEM



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| RESOURCES DIRECTORATE | AUDIT AND STANDARDS COMMITTEE | 21 JANUARY 2016 | 9       |

## REGULATION OF INVESTIGATORY POWERS ACT 2000: AUTHORISATIONS

### PUBLIC ITEM

This item is for consideration in the public part of the meeting.

#### SUMMARY OF INFORMATION

Councillors are obliged to review the use of covert surveillance and covert human intelligence sources by the council at least quarterly. In the quarter to January 2016, there were no authorised operations.

#### SOURCE OF INFORMATION

Director of Resources

#### LINK TO INFORMATION

<https://fylde.cmis.uk.com/fylde/MeetingsCalendar/tabid/70/ctl/ViewMeetingPublic/mid/397/Meeting/134/Committee/23/Default.aspx>

#### WHY IS THIS INFORMATION BEING GIVEN TO THE COMMITTEE?

Regulations under the Regulation of Investigatory Powers Act 2000 ("RIPA") require councillors to consider a report on the use of RIPA at least quarterly.

#### FURTHER INFORMATION

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